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<b>REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL</b>  Address to: <b>Mail Stop RCE</b> Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Application Number: 09/590,173	Confirmation Number: 3385
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	Examiner: Madeleine Anh Vinh NGUYEN	
	Attorney Docket Number: 02860.0648-00	
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<b>This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.</b>  Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.		
<p>1. <b>Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:</b> <u>Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise.</u> If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, application must request non-entry of such amendment.</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.</p> <p>i. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.</p> <p>ii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please enter the Amendment and Reply to Final Office Action filed on May 12, 2005.</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> <b>DO NOT ENTER</b> the amendment(s) previously filed on [Date(s)] _____. An alternate submission is attached.</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed submission: .</p> <p>i. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply</p> <p>ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)</p> <p>iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement</p> <p>iv. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p>		
<p>2. <b>Miscellaneous</b></p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action on the above-mentioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of [number] months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.)</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p>		
<p>3. <b>Fees</b></p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The filing fee is calculated as follows:</p> <p>i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$790.00 RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)</p> <p>ii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petition for extension of time for (2 Months) \$450.00</p> <p>iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p> <p>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fees of \$1,240.00 and any deficiencies in the filing fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.</p>		
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Applicant encloses the following papers:

1. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal, with *Deposit Account Authorization for \$1,240.00*, (1 page); and
2. Petition for 2 Month Extension of Time, (1 page).

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